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Maunder's "National History." Ayres' Bible History." Powtners "Comprehensive Specifier." Froude's "Short Studies." Bourne's Repent Improvements. Humes' "History of England." White's "Latin and English Dictionary."
Buckle's "History of Civilization in Eng-

Amos Primer English Constitution." Swinburne's "Picture Logic" Smith's Wit and Wisdom." Gray's "Catalogue of Postage Stamps." Burn's Belf Ald Cyclopedia." Jones' "English System of Book-Reeping."
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COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES, PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

STEAM FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA. POINT DE GALLE. ADEN, SUEZ, ISMAILIA, PORT SAID, NAPLES, AND MARSEILLES:

BOMBAY, MAHE, ST. DENIS, AND PORT LOUIS.

ON SATURDAY, the 8th of May. 1880, at Noon, the Company's S. S. ANADYR. Commi. Dr Boissmon, BARON, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPROIE and OARGO, will leave this Port for the above places.

Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal places of Europe.

the 7th of May, 1880. (Parcels are not Galle, to be sent on board; they must be at the Agency's Office.) Contents and value of Packages are re-For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

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Hongkong, April 28, 1880.



MITSU BISHI MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA VIA KOBE AND INLAND SEA.

THE S. S. SUMIDA MARU, Captain HUBINER, due here on or about the 10th Instant, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 15th May, at Day-Cargo received on board and Parcels at the Office up to 6 p.m. of 14th May. No Bill of Lading signed under \$2

All Claims must be settled on board before delivery is taken, otherwise they will not be recognized. RATES OF PASSAGE. To Koss.........Cabin \$60., Steerage \$15. .. YOROHAMA &)

Do. \$75. Do. 20. NAGABARI... A REDUCTION is made on RETURN CARIN PABRAGES. CARGO and PASSENGERS for Nagasaki will be transhipped to the Shanghai Mail Steamer at Kobe. For further Particulars, apply at the Company's Offices, No. 50A, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.

Occidental & Oriental Steam-Ship Company.

Hongkong, May 1, 1880.

TAKING THROUGH CARGO AND PASSENGERS FOR THE UNITED STATES AND EUROPE, IN CONNECTION WITH THE

UNION PACIFIC AND CONNECTING RAILROAD COMPANIES

CENTRAL

AND ATLANTIC STEAMERS.

THE S. S. OOEANIC, Captain J. MET. CALFE, will be despatched for San Francisco via Yokohama, on MONDAY, the 10th May, 1880, at 3 p.m., taking Cargo and Passengers for Japau, the United States, Mexico, Central and Bouth America, and Europe.

Connection is made at Yokohama, with Steamers from Shanghai. Breight will be received on Board until 4 p.m. of the 9th May. PARCEL PACK-AGES will be received at the Office until 5 p.m. same day; all Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; value of same is required. A REDUCTION is made on RETURN PAS

SAGE TICKETS. Consular Invoices to accompany Over land, Mexican, Central and South American Cargo, should be sent to the Company's Officer addressed to the Collector of Customs, San Francisco. For further information as to Freight or Passage, apply to the Agency of the

Company, No. 37, Queen's Road Central. G. B. EMORY, Agent. Hongkong, April 24, 1880.

Occidental & Oriental Steam-Ship Company.

TAKING THROUGH CARGO AND PASSENGERS FOR THE UNITED STATES AND EUROPE IN CORRECTION WITH THE CENTRAL

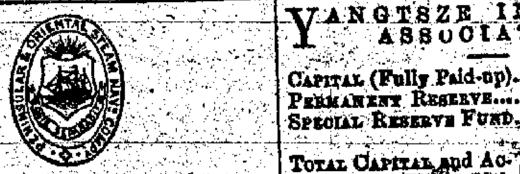
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FIGHE S. S. BRLGIC will be despatched for San Francisco via Yokohama. on PRIDAY, the 21st May, 1880, at 8 p.m. taking Dargo and Passengers for Japan, the United States, Mexico, Central and South America, and Europe. Steamers from Shanghat. Preight will be received on Board until

Connection is made at Yokohama, with 1 p.m. of the 20th May PARCEL PACKAGES will be received at the Office uptil & p up same dey; all Percel Packages should be pay not to address in full , Takes of same is required. A Reputeror is made on Revers Pat-

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STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, MALTA, BRINDISI, ANCONA, VENICE, MEDI-TERRANEAN PORTS, SOUTH-AMPTON, AND LONDON,

Mails.

BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, AND AUSTRALIA.

VIA BOMBAY;

THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STRAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steam-ship IZAM, Captain G. W. BLADY, will leave this on MONDAY, the 17th Instant,

Tea and General Cargo for London will Shipping Orders will be granted until be conveyed vid Bombay without transhipment, arriving one week later than by Cargo will be received on board until direct route. Silk and Valuables will be 4 p.m., Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m. on transferred to the Calcutta steamer at

For further Particulars, apply to

A. MolVER, Superintendent, Hongkong, May 3, 1880. my17

Insurances. LANCASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

CAPITAL, TWO MILLIONS STERLING.

(FIRE AND LIFE.)

THE Undersigned are prepared to grant POLICIES against the Risk of FIRE on Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on Goods on board Vessels and on Hulls of Vessels in Harbour; at the usual Terms

and Conditions. Proposals for Life Assurances will be recolved, and transmitted to the Directors to-their decision. If required, protection will be granted on

first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single For Rates of Premiums, forms of proposals or any other information, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Agents, Hongkong & Canton.

Hongkong, January 4, 1867. NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

Incorporated by Royal Charter and Special Acts of Parliament.

ESTABLISHED 1809.

CAPITAL £2,000,000.

THE Undersigned, AGENTS at Hongkong

for the above Company, are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, to the extent of £10,000 on any Building, or on Merchandise in the same, at the usual Rates, subject to a discount of 20 GILMAN & Co.,

Agents. Hongkong, July 6, 1875.

SCOTTISH IMPERIAL INSURANCE COMPANY: FIRE AND LIVE.

NSURANCES against FIRE granted at Current Rates. Considerable Reduction in Premia for LIFE Insurance in MEYER & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, June 2, 1879. SWISS LLOYD

TRANSPORT INSURANCE COMPANY OF WINTERTHUR. TNSURANCES granted on MARINE RISKS to all parts of the World.

MEYER & Co., Agents. Hongkong, June 8, 1879.

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY FIRE Undersigned, Agents for the above Company, are prepared to grant Insurances at current rates. MELCHERS & Co.,

Agents, Royal Insurance Company. Hongkong, October 27, 1874,

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE-HONGKONG.

GENCIES at all the Treaty Ports of A China and Japan, and at Singapore Saigon and Penang. Rinks accepted, and Policies of Insurance granted at the rates of Fremium current at

the above mentioned Ports. MO CHARGE FOR POLICY FEES. JAS. B. COUGHTRIE,

Hongkong, November 1, 1871. THE LONDON ABBURANCE.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER

His Majesty King George The First,

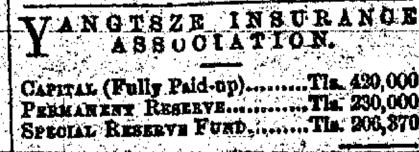
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Agents for the above Corporation are prepared to grant Luantamore as follows :--Marine Marines Policies at purrent rates persons either here in Lordon or as the principal Forts. of India, China and Amstralia. Fier Department.

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Insurances.

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April, 1879......

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Directors F. B. FORBES, Enq., Chairman. M. W. BOYD, Esq. | WM. MEYERINK, Esq. C. LUCAS, Esq. [S. D. WEBB, Esq.

---- HEAD OFFICE-SHANGHAL Messra RUSSELL & Co., Secretaries.

LONDON BRANCH. Mesars BARING BROTHERS & Co., Bankers. FULLARTON HENDERSON, Esq., 8, St. Michael's Alley, Cornhill, E.C.

Subject to a charge of 12 % for Interest China Mail. on Shareholders' Capital, all the Property of the Underwaiting Business will be annually distributed among all Contributors of Business in proportion to the Premium paid by them. RUSSELL & Co.,

POLICIES granted on Marine Risks to all

Agents. Hongkong, October 1, 1879. 10080

QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent to \$45,000 on Buildings, or on Goods stored therein, at ourrent local rates, subject to s Discount of 20% on the Premis. NORTON & Ca.

Agents. Hongkong, January 1, 1874.

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF

MANCHESTER AND LONDON.

Capital of the Company £1,000,000 Sterling of which is paid up £ 100,000 ,, Reserve Fundupwards of £ 120.000 £ 250,000 Annual Income

ESTABLISHED 1824.

THE Undersigned have been appointed Agents for the above Company at Hongkong, Canton, Foochow, Shanghal, and Hankow, and are prepared to grant Insurances at current rates.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, October 15, 1968.

Notices to Consignees.

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship Suez, Captain J. D. Earon, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. saw no signs of any danger from alofs with Passengles arriving in Hongkong, or any hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods. Oargo impeding the discharge will be

at once landed and stored at Consignees risk and expense. JARDINE, MATHESON & Oc.

Hongkong, May 4, 1880. FROM LONDON, SINGAPORE AND

PENANG. THE Steamship Strothleven having arrived from the above Ports. Conalguees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of Messra Norton & Co., whence and/or from the Wharves or Boats delivery may be obtained.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon TO DAY. Cargo remaining undelivered after the Sih Instant will be aubiect to rent No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

BIRLEY & Co., Agents. Hongkong, May 1, 1880.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. STEAMER "GUY MANNERING," FROM LONDON,

PENANG AND SINGAPORE MONSIGNEES of Goods by the abovenamed Steamer are hereby notified that the Cargo is being landed and stored at their risk into Mesers MEYER & Co.'s Wanchai Godowns, whence delivery can be obtained.

Consignees wishing to receive their Goods on the Wharf are at liberty to do so. Optional Cargo will be forwarded un less notice to the contrary be given before Noon To-DAY, the 4th Inst. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining after the 12th Instant will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by MELCHERS & Co.. Agents, Hongkong, May 4, 1880.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES,

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES MONSIGNEES of the following Cargo are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for counter-algusture, and take immediate delivery. This Cargo has been landed and stored at Abely risk and expense. Ro Fire insurance has been effected.

N M R ((in paralg.) No. 88, Order, I can HG to Haberduskert, from Landon RJ (fo paralgi) No. 400, Or, Apare Dress Goods, from Longon, P P & C J 72/83, Order, 12 cases Colors, Mowley - Etteley & Co. SH tom London G. TO ORAMPHAUX.

Hongkong, May 8, 1880.

Intimations.

NEWS FOR HOME.

The Overland China Mail. (The sidest Courland Paper in Course.) PUBLISHED AT THE "CHIMA MAIL" OFFICE IN TIME FOR THE ENGLISH MAIL

Containing from 72 to 84 columns of closely printed matter.

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paid 56 cents.) \$12 per sumum (postage Orders should be sent to Gro. MURRAY BAIR, China Mail Office, 2, Wyndham Street, not later than noon of the day the English Mail Steamer leaves. Terms of Advertising, same as in Dal

SAILORS' HOME.

NY Cast-off CLOTHING, BOOKS, OF A PAPERS will be thankfully received at the Sailor's Home, West Point. Hongkong, July 25, 1878

To-day's Advertisements. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA BUEZ CANAL The Co.'s Steamship Oapt. J. KIBEPATRICE, 10 a.m. TO-MORROW, the 6th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agonia.

FOR AMOY AND TAMSUL The Steamship Captain Poccus, will be Ports on SATURDAY, the 8th Instant, at 5 p.m., instead of as previously advertised, For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, May 5, 1880.

Hongkong, May 5, 1880. CASTLE LINE OF STEAMERS. FUR HANKOW.

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

The Steamahip Gamis Castle,"
Gazig, Commander, will 44 Glamis Castle." be despatched for the 9th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Hongkong, May 5, 1889. The Steamship Captalu Young, will be

Ports on SUNDAY, the 9th Inst., at 8 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, May 5, 1880.

FOR YOKOHAMA. (Calling at KOBE if sufficient inducement The Steamship Glenfalloch,"
Captain Park, will be despatched as above or TUESDAY, the 11th lost, at Daylight. For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, May 5, 1880. TRAM TO BOMBAY VIA STRAITS. The P. & O. S. N. Co. Steamahip

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

will leave for the above Place on TUESDAY, 11th Inst., at 4 p.m. A. MoIVER. P. & O. S. M. Co.'s Office. Hongkong, May 5, 1880.

NOTIOH. Peninsular & Oriental Steam NAVIGATION COMPANY.

YURING the next THREE MONTHS the Company a STRAMERS from CHIMA will proceed Direct to LONDON leaving Honoxone on the following Dates:---BHIP 14th June Peskalour 3,900 ..Gwallor . 12th July Mesopers 3:897 .. Ancora.

Joesta German barrus Captain D. Barrymann -- Moloisers & Co.

SHIPPING ARRIVALA

Mor & Zolbour, Bettink ship, 798, T. O. Boelkon, New York Jan. 22, General May 4, 8, 16 p. m., Gee ong, British etc., 1139, Loggin, Bornbay April 14, Penning, and Singspore, General.—P. & O. S. N.

May 5, Annie S. Hall, American barren line from Whampos. May 5, Volgo, French steamer, 959 Guirand, Yokohama April 28, Mails am General -- MESSIGERIES MARITIMES. May 5, 1 a.m., Herloung, British steamer 277. F. Poccok, Taiwa for May 3, Sugar.

-Douglas Lupeaux & Co.

May 5, Meath, British steamer, 1837, Johnson, Nagasaki April 80, Coal.—JAR-DINE, MATHRON & Co. May 5, Canton, Blamese ship, 779, C. Knudsen, Bangkok April S, Rice,-Your

May 5, Glesfalloch, British atsamer, 2156, E. T. Park, Napasaki May 1, Coal, -- Jan-BINE MATHERON & Co. May C. Comme, El M. correcte, 2368, J. W. Rast, Singapore April 20.

May 4, Sunda, for Yokokama. Formoso, for Tientsin. Kinngchow, for Bolhow. L. Follund, for Swatow. 5, Albay, toe Amor, die. 5. Brasmar Cartle, for Bhanghai. Amoy, for Whatapos.

Keeingtung, for Coast Ports. 8. Venior, for Nagasaki.

b. Hermins, for Whatopoa.

DEPARTURES.

Gustov, for Takao. CLEARED. Wandering Minsteel, for Chatoo. Peru, for London. Seropie, for Saigon. Amou (etr.); for Canton. Ocean, for Nagarati. Guy Mannering, for Shanghal.

Stentor, for London, &c.

ABBENGERS. ARRIVED Per Folga, from Yokohama; for Mar-seilles, Messrs Mouchet, C. Levy, Sano chi, P. Lerme, and J. Regnault, Mrs. Fits-HONGKONG DISPENSARY,
Gerald; for Hongkong, 4 Chinese.

Per Lothair, from New York, Mr Carl

Per Geslong, from Straits, 92 Ohinese.

Per Hailoong, from Taiwanfoo, 5 Chinese. Per Meath, from Nagunaki, 2 Chinese. Par Keongtung, for Foochow, Right Rev. Blabop Burden, Per Risingchose, for Hollow, 42 Ohi-

Per Yottung, for Swatow, 188 Ohinese. To DEPART. Per Serapis, for Salgon, 200 Chinese. Per Stantor, for Singapore, &c., 8 Europeans, and 870 Chinese

SHIPPING REPORTS

The British ship Lothair reports ! Left Sandy Hook Jan. 22nd. Had light Kast and S.E. winds for 10 days : thence to 3 above Port, at Daylight on SUNDAY, the N. fresh to moderate M.B. winds, proceed the line in 33 W., 29 days out. Light S.K. trades with a continuation of N.K., East and S.E. winds until off the Crossts. Then good winds to Java Head. Passed Apjer 74 days put. Experienced very my9 light E. and N.E. winds with calms the whole way up the sea. Passed the position of the Dido Shoal, Paracel Islands, but a good glass. Arrived off Hongtong last evenior, 104 days out. Vessels spoken :-Cambrian Princess from London to Sydney 84 days out, in lat. 32 S., long. 31 W Star of Albion from Boston to Melbourne, 90 days out : Geraldine Paget from Rull to Rangoon, 50 days out; William Ritson from London to Hongkong, 67 days out,

in lat 42 and long B M. The British steamer Mailcong reports On 3rd May at 12 p.m. left Talwantoo experienced light Northerly and N. W. breeze with duli cloudy weather, and occacional showers of rain throughout the i as sage ; arrived on the 5th at 1 a.m. The French steamer Vol a reports: Fine weather from Van Dieman's Land to Hong-

Per Kashgar, sailed lat May :-- lo Les don : from Canton and Masso, 10.37 boxes Tes-containing 197,169 lbs. Congon 71.374 lbs. Scented Caper, 8,234 lbs. Sc le. Parce: 18,860 lbs. Ginnowder, 1,360 ibs. Young Hyson-total 217,002 lbs.; Canton, 13 cases Bills Goods ... from Asnoy, 48 half chests Two (particulars unknown); from Shanghai, 312 bales Raw Bills, 41 bales Waste Silk, and 10 cases Pongede from Japan, 117 page. Tea (particulars known), and 15 bales Raw Blk .- To Contipent : from Canton, & sales Haw Bills, and cases Silk Goods; from Shanghal, bales Raw Slik : Trom Japan; 18 bales Raw myll Silk .- To How Fork Trum Blackbal, des Ray Silk Stepp Jupan, 513 ha chests Tes (particulars unit nown)

POST OFFICE NOTIOES. MALLS WELL BLOSS

For STRAITS SMITTLEMENTS AN

the instant of as previously: For BANGROK. day, the Str lpst.

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW Shipping. 10 am Ventor leaves for London. A n. m -- Circlard leaves for Bengkol

General Memoranda.

Situaday, May 8:-Noon Tenders for Navel Yard World Noon. - French Mail leaves for Ports of Call and Europe. 3 p.m. - Performance at the City Hall. 5 p.m.—Hailoung leaves for Amoy, &c. Goods per Strathleten undelivered after this date subject to rent 9 n.m. -Performance at the City Hall. SUNDAY, MAY 0 :--

Daylight - Glomie Cartle leaves for Han-8 m. Douglas leaves for Coast Ports MONDAY, MAY 10:-Dam. - Auction of Household Furniture. as Mrs More's residence. East Point (by Messe Lane Crawford & Lo.)

p.m .-- Occidental & Oriental S. S. Co.'s Steamer Oceanic leaves for Yokohama and Sen Prancisco. 4 p.m.-Cassandre leaves for Bairon 4 p.m. Sale of "The Oriental Hotel Goods per Bresmar Castle undelivered

after this date subject to rent. TUESDAY, May 11:--Daylight -Glenyallock leaves for Yoko-4 p.m. Geslong leaves for Bombay. WEDNESDAY, May 12:-- Goods per Guy Mannering undellyszed after this date subject to rent.

THURSDAY, May 18:-4 p.m. - Java leaves for Cooktown, Syd-SATURDAY, May 15:--Daylight. Miteu Blahl Mall leaves for Yokohama, &c.

MONDAY, MAY 17:--5 p.m — English Mail leaves for Ports of Call and Europe. FRIDAY, May 21 :---3 p.m. -- Occidental & Oriental S. S. Co.'s Steamer Belgie leaves for Yokohama

and San Francisco.

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A. B. WATSON & Co., Pamily & Dispensing Ohemists. WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DRUGGISTS, IMPORTERS.

Dauggiers' Suppares. Nuescry Requi-

SITES, TOILET REQUISITES, ENGLISH, AMERICAN, AND PERMOR PATENT MEDICINES. MANUPACTURERS Water, Lemonade, Tonio Water. Gingerade, Potass Water, Sarsaparilla

125 The Manufactory is under direct and continuous European Supervision. Hongkong, Jane 1, 1876. mult the files of local, Chius, Japan, American, English, Indian or Austra-

Water, and other Aerated Waters.

from these countries, are now filed for reference. The publication of this terus commenced

lian newspapers, are invited to call at

the "China Mail" Office, where over

sixty newspapers, dailies and weeklies,

The China Mail.

HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, MAY 5, 1880.

In is difficult to say whother the death of Theebay assuming the report to be true, which we have little hesitation in doing -is an event that promises for peace and quietade in Burmah or the reverse. We incline to believe, while we admit that nothing in the old king's life became him like the leaving it, that he leavenus a legacy which it would have been much bester that we had not had thrown on our hands at the present moment. We must save to some extent with 49. the Rangoon Gasetts, which points out that it would be a bold policy-and in view of the reaction that will how, as a natural consequence of the change of Government set in at home, it is L course somewhat improved to that Le Lagish Government sunds In medistair step in and place its profest on the throte of Burmab, and promise to defend him against all risks from within Per Mester, at 9:30 a.m. Tomorrow, the and without. We should have the responsibility of streeting him and his in their duties to us and the dvillestion. and the test as well of providing for the Per Common at 4.90 p.m., on Thurs | fainteofthe country of landous middling Land and Late 11 is without a ruler Not Responsible for Debta.

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splendid victory in the cause of progress and humanity, and if not positively bloodless, comparatively so, if the diff culty be dealt with promptly.

OHINESE NOTES.

The Covernor of Chekiang reports the Paking Gazette, and mentions that a census should by law be taken annually in each Province. The population of Chakiang as ascertained in the Autumn of the year 1879 was found to be 11,541,054 of all ages and sexes. The census is taken at each house by the local constables, and checked by the different Prefects, selecting and counting a few population spots at random as tests. If the above estimate be a true one, the population of China cannot exceed 150,000,000.

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LOCAL AND GENERAL

The next American Mail may be expected here un or about the 10th, by the Belgio, which laft San Francisco on the 10th eli.

THE French Mail leaving this week will

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community of this Colohy intend giving a sorms in the Club Lantano in honor of the immortal author of the "Lusiadas." Express was issued to day, inviting all the Portuguese, who wish to join in the above demonstration, to meet in the Club Lusitano to morrow, at 8 p.m., in order to appoint a Committee to carry out the project.

A CONCERT will be given in the Recreation opulation of that Province, in a recent Room, North Barracks, on Monday evening pext, 10th inst, in aid of the funds of the Garrison Saturday Evening Concerta-Several ladies and gentlemen have kindly volunteered to assist. These concerts, inaugurated by Mr Henderson, late acting garrison chaplain, have been productive of much good and are highly appreciated by the troops serving here. The entertainment now announced is intended to assist in defraying the necessary expense gas, dro., in connection with these weekly gatherings.

> To-MORROW (Phursday) being Ascension Day, there will be the following services at St. John's Cathedral :-8 a.m., Garrison service, with Holy

Communion. 11 s.m., short morning prayer and Holy Communion.

5.30 p.m., Evening Service, with special intercession on behalf of Foreign Missions, and sermon by the Rev. W. L. Groves, B.A., chaplain to the Bishop.

Our readers will remember a faithful and life-like portrait in oil which was exhibited at the Art Exhibition, in which the familiar features of Sir Brooke Robertson were so clearly depicted. The picture formed an object of general admiration; and it has occurred to some of Sir Brooke's friends that it would be a good thing to secure it for the Colony. There is probably no one who ocposition in the social life of Hongkong, and whose genial qualities became so thoroughly pleasant a part of the past, than Sir Brooke Robertson. Though not actually a resident in the Colony, he seemed to be a part of it, and whatever may have been his political hope of reward greater infinen I on the opinions upon one subject or another, they never interfered with his social popularity. Although the portrait is not for sale in the ordinary sense, we understand that it may this work of art. We are confident that the numerous friends of Sir Brooks will embrace

arrived in harbour this forencon and will take the place of H. M. S. Charybdis which | gaged in writing a History of Siam. recently left here for England to be paid off. The Comus left Plymonth on the 24th December last and has made a long passage, coming round the Uspe, visiting the islands of Ascension, Tristan da Cunha, and the Crozet Islands, where she landed some three hundred pounds' worth of provisions subscribed for by shippers engaged in the Australian trade for the use of shipwrecked we might call "state criminals" except crews who may be compelled to seek refuge that the Chinese term embraces officials there. It was found that the position of these islands was not accurately fixed on the charts, and it was then ascertained that the north western point of the principal faland is 46deg. 4min. S. latitude, and 50deg. 5min. E. longitude. All the islands in the group were visited either by the ship herself or by boats' crews sent out from her, but no trace of any inhabitanta was found. The ship next made for Kerguelin, where a most unexpected treat awaited her officers and crew, In 1874, when an expedition was sent to the island to witness the transit of Venus, the party entrusted with that duty left behind them a number of rabbits, which, with their proverbial fecundity, have increased and multiplied to an enormous extent, and efforded three days' sport, with the result that 700 rodents fell victims to the keensighted sportsmen of the Comus. A number of this live stock were also taken and let loose on the out-of-the-way island of Bt. may be thrown upon its inhospitable and Batavia on the 18th nit. and left for Singapore on the 21st, She is built of steel and iron cased with wood, and is an excellent het boat whether under canyas or

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THE Singapore Government at last contemplate appointing a Commission to inquire into the circumstar ces of the epidemic of beriders which has raged in the Criminal Prison for some time past and to which more than one reference has been made in our columns.

His Excellency the Governor of the Straits. Mr Weld, late of Tasmania, was expected to strive at Singapore to d y (5th) and assume his duties. There has been some talk of Bis Excellency, as soon as he arrives at Singapore, obtaining leave to go home. But there does not seem to be much ground for any fear that anything so unfair and out of accord with official etiquette will

REFERENCE to our remarks, in speaking of Mr Weld, that he has not been popular during his gubernatorial career in Tasmania, the Straits Times states that some gentlemen here who have lived in the colony while he held the reins of office. speak of Mr Weld in terms of praise and pay tributes to his personal qualities. We need only point out that the views our contemporary seems to place in juxta-posttion, are in no wise contradictory. Almost every unpopular man has some who "speak in terms of praise" of him and "pay tributes to his personal qualities."

During the past year, we note from the annual report, the questions for Debate, at the Debating class in connection with the Singapore Mutual Improvement Society. were as follows. Our local Debating Society may be glad of the hints conveyed by the

justice, and conducive to the welfare of a nation, universal or limited suffrage? ---2.-Is a departure from truth justifiable under any circumstances? 3.-Have the Crusades been beneficial to

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4 —Which is preferable, the Government or the Mercantile service? 5.—Should gambling be licensed by Jovernment i 6.—Has the fear of punishment, or the

7.-Would it be advantageous to the people of Moar to have their cuntry annexed to the English Government, or to be governed by a native ruler of their

We note by the Report of the Singspore dilore' Home that owing to fewer seamen arriving from Java and other ports during the year, the number of seamen who have availed themselves of the accommodation in the Sailors' Home, has not been so large as it was in the previous year. during 1879 has been 744; the number in

THE Straits Times learns by telegram from though the periodical "wave of athletics Britannic Majesty, has had conferred upon bim at the hands of the Queen the distinction of a K. O. M. G., in recognition of i his long and faithful services to Her Majesty. Sir Thomas is, we believe, en-

By the London Gazette of the 12th March we learn that Captain Robert Davies, 28th Regiment, retires on a pension with the honorary rank of Major, dated the 13th of that month. Captain Davies formerly served in the ranks of the Military Train, and received his first commission for his services in that corps during the New Zesland campaigu.

We have been asked whether the members of the new Parliament who have accepted seats in the Ministry bave again to solicit the confidence of their constituencies. Yes The law on the point is this :--

A member of the House of Commons the acceptance of any office of profit under Queen Anne, declared vold, and a new writ issues, he being, however, eligible for reelection. By the Reform Act of 1867. embers who already hold certain offices do not vacate their seats on the acceptance of certain other offices enumerated, the list seemingly comprehending all offices usually held by members. The resignation of office is held not to be complete until the appointof office, the seat is held not to have been vacated. A first complesion in the army or navy vacates a seat; subsequent coinmissions do not do so.

It will be remembered that at the last election Sir Harding Giffard, who was made Solicitor General, failed for some considerable time to secure a seat after his appoint- the frog had altogether disappeared, and no-Paul's, where no doubt on some future day | ment. As a rule, however, the affirming they will prove a welcome tribute of fore. election is a mere matter of form, and lately been struggling in the liquor. The thought to some luckless mariners who although we have not the result of the poll peculiarity of papame is its power of acting before us yet, in any case we famoy there is like a similar effect with pepsine it would be discrete the contract of the contr every safety to presume that no miscar lage necessary to assist its operation by the adof public opinion in these extra elections dition of cartain kinds of acid measured very which will now have to come off is likely to at all interfere with the constitution of the Ministry as it now stands.

> A very good story comes all the way from the Elgin Burghs about the elections :- Mon, Apr 26th, - 27

the same groove as the Government he is to set under, or so as to show his adhesion to his party. Lord Marlborough it was boped would be succeeded by a son of Her Majesty, and our letest tolegrams from home via India-only received yesterday and later than the advices brought on by the last mail-were to the effect that the Morning Post anticipated and supported the appointment of the Duke of Connaught as Lord Lieutenant. By Reuter's telegrams direct, which we published the other day, it will be seen that Farl Cowper is the new Lord Lieutenant. |The present Earl is the 7th holder of the title regarding which we take the following from the Peetage:

Cowper, Earl, created 1718; Viscount

Fordwich 1718; Baron Cowper, 1706.

Great Britain); Baron Dingwall (Scot-1609: Baron Butler (England) 1666 : Bart. 1642. (Eng.) : K.G. 1865 : Privy Councillor 1871: a Prince and Count Thor. de Grey Comper, eldest son of the 6th Rarl, by the eldest daughter and co-heir of the let Earl de Grey Cowper, (now Basidest daughter of the 4th Mayor of Northampton: (she was born 1845). Succeeded his father 1856. Educated at Christ three months. Church, Oxford, where he was first class in Law and Modern History 1835. Lieutenant Yorkshire West Riding Yeo Manry Cavalry 1854; retired 1861. Lieut.-Colonel 2nd Battalion. Lord Lieut. Oplum Farmer. enant of Bedfordsbire 1861, was Captain of | Fined \$10, in default of payment, three the Gentlemen-at-Arms from April 1871 to | weeks' imprisonment with hard labour. December 1873. Is patron of 2 livings. The 1st Peer, (Grand uncle of Cowper the poet) was made Lord Keeper of the Grand sioners for the Treaty of the Union of metal on the 4th inst. between Scotland and England and Lord High Chancellor in 1707. The Scotch the third holder the Duke of Ormonde picked them up in Sai Wan Slip. was attainted when all his honours expired. The title of Baron Butler prisonment with hard labour.

was conferred on the grandson of the 1st Lord Dingwall, and it also ceased in 1715, after the imperchment of the eldest son and successor of the first peer. The was charged with the larceny of a pair of present and 7th Earl of Cowper established before the Lords his lineal descent from Lady Henrietta Butler, youngest sister of the last Lord Butler, and aubsequently obtained by an Act of Parliament reversal of the attainders. Residence No. 4, St. James' Square. London. S.W. : Pensharger, Herta; Moate House, Canterbury; Rattling Court, Kent.

Earl Cowper has never been in the Colonial service, nor do we find any record of any prominent service be has rendered to his country in any other department. He was, we note from the Foreign Office List, appointed Envoy Extraordinaly on a special mission Copenhagen in 1665, to invest His Majesty Christian IX with the insignia and habit of the Order of the Garter. This was in April, 1865. August 5th he was made K.G. He was appointed a Privy Councillor, May 16, 1871. He is now Deputy Lieutenant for Nottingham.

THE following extract from the Globe may be of interest to our local athletes, even al-If the art of training, in which during the

host of individuals belonging to various branches of the athletic world have been engaging, consists mainly in the method of managing the digestive organs of the patient, it is possible that papsine will before long be recognised as an useful, auxiliary in the dieting of competitors. It was stated at the last meeting of the Chemical Society of France that a learned academician. M. Wurtz, had completed the experiments announced by him a year ago to the Academy new product. Paparne is composed of the juice extracted from the fruit of a tree, which is a native of South America, and may probably be grown in any country near the Equator. The juice is subjected to various processes more or less unintelligible to the vulgar mind and then mixed with a large proportion of water, when it exhibits strong powers of artificial digestion, and produces some results which are certainly ourious even if they are not destined to become purticularly useful in the medical world. In the most successful of his experiments, M. Wurtz diluted two grammes of papaine, which he was obliged to use in a somewhat impure state, owing to the impossibility of freeing it entirely from the foreign substances adhering to it, in a gless containing 200 cubic centimetres of water. Into the bath thus preweighing 50 grammes, which was left to be operated upon by the spontaneous effects of the liquid. In two hours the wretched occupant of the bath began to show signs of his impending fate, his skin being gradually worn away by the action of the papaine. ment of a successor ; and on the resumption | Four hours more elapsed, and muscular action of the beast spreared to be paralysed. His movements became alack, and soon after ceased altogether. The next stage was the gradual disappearance of the body itself which faded away, as it were after remaining in the shape of a sort of film, the conformation of which grew every minute less distinct. On the morning of the following day thing but an opal tint it the water betrayed accurately.

RETURN of Vintors to the City Hall Museum for the week ending May 2:-

DEPAULTING BOAMEN. with mooring their boats within 300 yards might differ in their views on some from shore, between 9 p m. on the 4th and points, yet, he was glad to say, they gun-fire this morning. P. O. 62, J. Dick, proved finding the defendants with their boats moored about been previously warned without avail they were now brought before His Worship, who

imposed a fine of twenty-five cents all

Baddick, a watchman at the Po Lok theatre, was charged with committing an assault on one Wong Akew, a married woman, on the 4th inst.

It appeared that Mr Saddick, who recently appeared before the Magistrate on a some what similar charge, had kept a girl for month past in the same house with the complainant, and yesterday evening he went there to visit ber and lay down the wrong bed. Complainant found him there and made a noise about it, when defendant pulled out a knife from his person and threatened the woman. She said she had not been wounded, although

Defendant was fined \$1, in default six Dunlop and responded to by Bro. roness Lucas). Born 1834. Married 1870 days' imprisonment with hard labour, and Cargill. was further ordered to outer into his own recognisance in \$25 to keep the peace for

BREACH OF THE OPIUM ORDINANCE. Leong Ayung, a hawker, pleaded guilty Captain 1st Kent Rifle Volunteers 1859; to being in possession of prepared opium on resigned 1670, and was then appointed the 4th inst. without a permit from the

UNLAWFUL POSSESSION. Lo Akun, a coolle, was charged with Seal 1705, and was one of the Commis- being in unlawful possession of two pieces

Defendant was arrested on the Pok-foolum Road with the metal in his possession title of Dingwall expired in 1715, when at 6 o'clock yesterday evening. He said he Fined \$2, in default seven days' im-

> Joseph Adams, a seaman unemployed. earrings and 24 cents in coin from one Chan Alal, the inmate of a brothel on the

> It appeared that defendant had gone to complainant's house yesterday evening and remained there till 11 o'clock, when he left. Shortly afterwards the complainant missed her keys and went after the prisoner whom she found in Lascar Row. On his returning to the house and being searched, the earrings were found in his pocket.

Delendant was ordered to enter into his own recognisance in \$50 to be of good behavlour for three months.

A GAMBLING RAID. Inspector Thomson charged a batch of nine coolies with public gambling in a house in Second Street this morning. The Inspector went to the house to question this morning with a posse of police. On their arrival the usual stampede took place and men rushed out in all directions. scampering over the roofs of the adjoining houses. The nine defendants however were secured, and each and all of them made the usual Chinese excuse, that they were only looking for a friend. Two of the detendants who were con-

sidered the proprietors of the establishment were sach fined \$150, or four months imprisonment with hard labour; one who acted as watchman, was fined \$50, or two months' imprisonment with hard labour, | BAROMETER- 9 A.M. ... 80.048 and the others were each fined \$5, or one month's imprisonment with hard labour

EMBEZZLEMENT. Chung Ahau, a tea-tester, pleaded guilty to having emberzied the sum of \$28, on the 10th November last, from his master Li Fat Shong.

His Worship sentenced defendant to six months' imprisonment with hard labour.

BURGLARY. Yune Scheong, a hawker, pleaded guilty to having broken into the house No. 1 Yee Yik Late: on the afternoon of the 4th inet and stealing therefrom 1 blanket. I chopper and I look, of the total value of

A previous convistion stands recorded against the prisoner, and he was now awarded four months' imprisonment with

Friday last (23rd ult.) being St George's day the members of Lodge St. George No. 1,152 celebrated the occasion by installing Bro. Dennys as their Worshipful Master for the ensuing

After the ceremony the Brethren resent attended a collation, when the Queen and Craft" and H. R. H. The Prince of Wales and officers of the Grand Lodge were proposed by the W and duly honoured.

The toast of the D. G. M. and officers of the D. G. Lodge was proposed by Worshipful Past Master Dunlop re-

P. M. Vaughan then proposed the ealth of the W. M. Wpl. Bro. Dennys. He said if Bro. Dennys put only half he energy into his office of Worshipful Master that he had put into every other months all the members of Lodge St. stallation. Bro. Denuys had always Library, and other things, (a voice "Government Prosecution.) The cateer of the Lodge had been extraordinary. He. Bro. Vaughan, hoped that it had been resuscitated ogain to prosper; and he knew all the members would work well place in conclusion he called on the in large for the subordinate officers to support 270 European. Chinese in harmony when they had the right

regretted the absence of R. Worshipful A batch of ten boatmen were charged Bro. Read, and said that although they agreed in Mesonry. Bro. Vaughan had compared the character of Lodge St George to that of a meteor. He could only say he as Master with his officers would uphold the brightness of St. George's Lodge and endeavour to make it shine in Masonry. No efforts would be spared on his part, and he might safely speak for his officers, to attain that end. Bro. Dennys than paid s high compliment to Bro. 8. Dunlop, the preceding W. M., and proposed the next toast, that of the " Past Master and Past Officers of Longe St. George. which was responded to by Bro. 8

> The following toasts were then proposed and responded to:-Newly installed officers," proposed y Bro. Vaughan, responded to by Bro.

> Hiccard. "W. M. and officers of Zatland and Prince of Wales Lodges," by Bro. C.

"Masons' Wives and Daughters," proposed by Bro. Pakenham and responded to by Bro. Harrison of the Buffs. The Brethren separated at a late

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Local Delivery. 1. All correspondence posted before p.m. on any week day for addresses in Victoria will be delivered the same day, and generally within two hours, unless the delivery should be retarded by the Contract

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McLeod, P. Newspapers must not be folded together as one, nor must anything whatever be inserted except bona fide Supplements. Printed matter may, however, be enclosed, if the whole be paid at Book Rate. Prices Current may be paid either as Newspapers or Books.

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wards Correspondence having joined the General Postal Union or being probable about to do so, it is necessary that the Gaudin, Monar. H. 1 registered or unregistered, can be received Grey, Capt. Hy. for Postage if it contains gold or silver money, jewels, precious articles, or anything that, Hardonstle, E. L. 2 Messrs as a general rule, is liable to Customs Harris, Capt. 2. This Regulation prohibits the sending Hill, Capt. John 1 Telfer, Mr of Patterns of datiable articles, unless the Ho Ying Hee 1 regd. Titshiann, Mr quantity sent be so small as to make the Hough Bel-Tung Fat

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Indemnity for the Loss of a Registered Letter. The following Regulations as to the Indemnity to be paid in certain cases on Manrer Miss the loss of Registered correspondence have been made by His Excellency the Governor under Ordinance 10 of 1876, Section XII. The Post Office is not legally responsible for the safe delivery of Registered correspondence, but henceforth it will be prepared to make good the contents of such correspondence lost while passing through

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the Post, to the extent of \$10, in certain cases, provided :---1. That the sender July observed all the conditions of Registration require. 2. That the letter was securely enclosed in a reasonably strong envelope. 3. That application was made to the Augusto Remiers 1 Postmaster General of Hongkong immediately the loss was discovered; the envelope being invariably forwarded with

auch application unless it also is lost, 4. That the Postmaster General is satisfied that the loss occurred whilst the correspondence was in the custody of the British Postal administration in China, that it was | Chop Sai not caused by any fault on the part of the Chan Wan" sender, by destruction by fire, or shipwreck, City of Mancheter 1 nor by the disho esty or negligence of any Clara Babayan 2 person not in the employment of the Clifton Hongkong Post Office.

5. No compensation can be paid for mere Denbigshire damage to fragile articles such as portraits, E. L. Capitan watches, handsomely bound books, &c., which reach their destination, sithough in a broken or deteriorated condition.

Money Order Regulations.

L.-Money Orders are exchanged with the United Kingdom, New South Wales, Hakon Adelstein 1 New Zealand, Queensland, South Australia Harter, s.s. and Port Darwin, the Straits Settlements, Western Australia, and (except at Shang- Hermine hai) with the Japanese Empire. Hongkong also issues orders on Shanghal, and wice

2.—Small sums may be remitted between James Shepherd 2 the other Ports by means of Postage Jane Gibson 1 Stamps, subject to a charge of one per John Nicholson 3 cent. for cashing them. 3. - Many Money Orders are supplied to

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tures of the mails, 4.-No order must exceed £10, or \$50 or include any fraction of a penny, nor will more than two such orders be issued to the same person, in favour of the same payee, by the same mail. Orders will be drawn at the current rate of the day' and paid at the rate of the day when the advice arrived The commission is as follows:-

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Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour.

Exclusive of late Arrivals and Departures reported to-day

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